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**PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner of Patents under provisions of 37 C.F.R. §  
1.136(a) to extend the time for filing an Amendment in response to the Official Action mailed  
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Under provision 37 C.F.R. 1.117(a)(3), the required fee is \$460.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0540 for this amount and any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above numbered deposit account. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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